Communicative Sciences and Disorders Spartan

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EDUCATION

Michigan State University | East Lansing, MI May 2028
Bachelor of Science in Communicative Sciences and Disorders
Dean's List: Fall 2025, Spring 2026

EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant | Analysis of Voice and Hearing Laboratory | East Lansing, MI Aug 2025 - Present

- Collaborated with five research assistants and Dr. Maryam Naghilbolhosseini by brainstorming research goals and study limitations, coordinating outreach and patient processing to ensure efficient study operations
- Completed accurate data input from patient forms and researcher notes using attention-to-detail to maintain complete, up-to-date study records
- Greeted patients, collected data forms, answered telephone inquiries, and provided information with excellent multi-tasking skills to patients to support a welcoming and organized research environment

Daycare Assistant Teacher | Kangaroo Learning | Ionia, MI May 2024 - Aug 2025

- Created a welcoming and fun atmosphere for children aged 6 months to 4 years by engaging them in age-appropriate activities to foster comfort and enjoyment
- Assisted in daily activities such as reading, snack/mealtime, coloring, and outdoor play to encourage learning, physical activity, and socialization
- Ensured a safe environment by closely supervising all activities, intervening when necessary, and following emergency protocols to guarantee children's well-being

RESEARCH

The Variability of Stuttering Across Multiple Contexts | UURAF Poster Presentation Apr 2026

- Transcribed and annotated speech samples using CLAN transcription software for precise linguistic analysis
- Analyzed disfluency patterns (blocks, prolongations, repetitions) in adult speech to assess contextual and temporal variability
- Explored the influence of conversational familiarity and environment on the frequency and type of stuttering disfluencies

ACTIVITIES

Volunteer | U-M Health Sparrow - Inpatient Speech Pathology | Lansing, MI Jan 2026 - March 2026

- Shadowed licensed speech-language pathologists during inpatient evaluations and therapy sessions, gaining insight into clinical decision-making and treatment planning
- Supported patient engagement during therapy sessions by preparing materials and documenting sessions

Member | MSU National Student Speech Language Hearing Association May 2025 - Present
Member | Habitat for Humanity MSU Chapter Sept 2024 - Present

SKILLS

Software & Tools: Microsoft Office Suite, CLAN Transcription, EMR, Google Workspace
Language: English (Native), Spanish (Advanced), Italian (Intermediate)
Speech and Hearing Analysis: Praat, Audacity, VoiceThread